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This is a decision on the Petition Under 37 CFR 3.81(b), filed August 6, 2007, requesting a change in the name of the assignee after payment of the issue fee. The delay in treating this petition is regretted.

The Petition is granted.

The petition was accompanied by a certificate of correction as required by 3.81(b), and the fee submitted with the present petition. Further, Office assignment records reflect Centecor Inc., and New York University are the assignees of record. As the request complies with the provisions of 37 CFR 3.81(b), it would be appropriate for a certificate of correction to be processed after issuance of this application into a patent.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3232. Any questions concerning the issuance of the Certificate of Correction should be directed to the Certificate of Correction Branch at (571) 272-4200.

This matter is being referred to the Certificates of Correction Branch for processing of a certificate of correction after issuance of this application into a patent.

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